



Community-Campus Partnerships for Health

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Dear Colleague,

Happy New Year! Below are highlights for Community-Campus Partnerships for Health (CCPH) in the month of January. We hope this helps you stay better connected to our events, activities and opportunities for involvement!

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DON'T MISS THESE UPCOMING DEADLINES

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Applications due Jan 16 for CCPH Annual Award! The award recognizes exemplary partnerships between communities and academic institutions that are striving to achieve the systems and policy changes needed to overcome the root causes of health, social, environmental and economic inequalities. Partnerships nominate themselves and need not be CCPH members to be considered. The award will be presented at our 15th anniversary conference, April 18-21 in Houston, TX. Details at <http://bit.ly/brRIPK>

Apply by Jan 23 for Conference Scholarship Opportunities! We are pleased to announce two opportunities to help off-set registration, lodging and travel expenses for those in the US, Canada and Mexico who are otherwise unable to attend our 15th anniversary conference, April 18-21 in Houston, TX. For more information, visit <http://bit.ly/ksazkC>

Save on CCPH Conference Registration Rates When You Register by Feb 3! Online registration is open for our 15th anniversary conference, April 18-21 in Houston, TX! Discounted early-bird registration rates end on Feb 3. Register today at <http://bit.ly/uLxLPfV>. Visit the conference homepage at <http://bit.ly/hFPPIr>

CCPH CONFERENCE NEWS

Our 15th anniversary conference, "Community-Campus Partnerships as a Strategy for Social Justice: Where We've Been & Where We Need to Go," takes place April 18-21 in Houston, TX. Follow the latest CCPH conference news at <http://twitter.com/CCPHconference>

Preliminary Program Now Available! Descriptions of peer-reviewed, concurrent sessions are posted online at <http://bit.ly/slWgvN>. The diversity, depth and breadth of presenters and topics are unparalleled! Whether you are directly involved in community-based participatory research, service-learning or other community-academic partnerships – or working to ensure the conditions are in place for such partnerships to thrive and have impact – the conference is designed to challenge and inspire you! Regardless of the social justice issue you are passionate about – health equity, education, environmental justice, food security, indigenous rights and so forth – together we will explore how to leverage partnerships to create change. Register today at <http://bit.ly/uLxLPf>

Pre-Conference Workshops are a Cost-Effective Way to Gain In-Depth Knowledge & Skills! We have a stellar line-up of pre-conference workshops on April 18 from 12-4 pm (including lunch): <http://bit.ly/u0sO6G> For just \$50, learn from the experts about:

- Community-Engaged Scholarship: Strategies & Resources to Support Your Work
- Leveraging Readiness for Partnerships to Conduct CBPR: The CBPR Readiness Toolkit
- Methods & Measures to Evaluate the Effectiveness of CBPR Partnerships to Improve Health Equity
- Service-Learning: Principles, Practice & Pedagogy
- Policy Analysis: A Tool for Translating Research to Policy, Deepening Partnerships & Creating Healthy Communities

NEWS FROM THE NATIONAL COMMUNITY PARTNER FORUM

National Community Partner Forum Ends on a High Note! Nearly 100 community leaders from across the U.S. convened Dec 5 – 7, 2011 in Boston for “Achieving the Promise of Community-Engaged Health Disparities Research: A National Community Partner Forum.” Co-sponsored by CCPH and the Center for Community Health Education, Research & Service with funding from the National Institute of Minority Health & Health Disparities, the forum focused on 4 priority areas for action: Community review of proposed research, governance structures for research, community engagement in all phases of the research process and funding community infrastructure needed to conduct research. The forum ended on a high note as attendees made recommendations, formed workgroups, deepened relationships and pledged to re-convene in Dec 2012 in Washington DC. Visit the forum webpage at <http://bit.ly/uCu3r5> to view the forum agenda, planning committee info, participant bios, photos and a slide show. Forum proceedings and other products will be posted on the site as they become available.

NEWS FROM CES4HEALTH

CES4Health is a free online mechanism for peer-reviewed publication and dissemination of diverse products of community-engaged scholarship. In just two years, CES4Health has peer reviewed and published 34 products, including videos, policy reports, training curricula, digital stories and a cookbook! Community and academic experts in the product's content area and format review each product. Authors retain copyright of their work. Visit <http://CES4Health.info> today to learn more, submit products and apply to be a reviewer! Follow the latest CES4Health news at <http://twitter.com/CES4Health>

A Special “Thank You” to CES4Health Reviewers! We extend a special thanks to 238 dedicated community and academic experts who volunteer their time to peer-review each product and provide helpful feedback to authors. CES4Health reviewers are acknowledged by name and affiliation at <http://bit.ly/u4cRbW>

What's the Big Deal? Reader's Theatre to Inform, Inspire, and Ignite Action is a script developed with and for Alaska Native and American Indian Community Health Workers and the people in their communities to provide colorectal cancer screening information, increase comfort with talking about screening, and encourage people to have recommended screenings. Stories from survivors, their families and care givers, medical providers and community health workers are woven into the lives of six characters who use humor and story to talk about common questions, concerns, and feelings related to colorectal cancer screening. The script was co-developed by Melany Cueva of the Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium and Mark Dignan of the University of Kentucky. To access the product, visit <http://bit.ly/sbJOd5>

CBPR Variable Matrix: Research for Improved Health in Academic/Community Partnerships provides items and scales from over 46 instruments representing 60% of the 40 domains in a previously published conceptual logic model of community-based participatory research (CBPR) processes and outcomes. The matrix was developed by investigators from the Universities of New Mexico and Washington and the National Congress of American Indians Policy Research Center, in collaboration with a National Advisory Board of academic and community experts. To access the product, visit <http://bit.ly/sYoF50>.

MAY WE SUGGEST A NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION? BECOME A MEMBER OF CCPH!

This E-News is CCPH's free e-newsletter for non-members. We invite you to become a member of CCPH! Your modest investment allows us to continue to serve as a resource for service-learning, community-based participatory research and community-campus partnerships more broadly that are working to improve higher education, civic engagement and the health of communities.

Why join CCPH?

- Be the first to hear about funding opportunities and other important news!
- Receive substantial publication discounts!
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- Access low cost, high-quality training and technical assistance!
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